

24 June 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Herbert E. Hetu
Director of Public Affairs

SUBJECT: Lunch and Dinner in New York

1. CBS Lunch: Attached is the guest list for the lunch at CBS tomorrow. They have really put together quite a turnout and I think it should be interesting. Dave Buksbaum and the producer of the evening news, Bud Benjamin, had both hoped to be there but are in Europe producing coverage of the President's trip. As you know from my cable we were very displeased with the CBS Reports show on intelligence and I am attaching a letter Frank Carlucci sent to your old friend, Tom Wyman, complaining about the show. It could very well come up during the course of the lunch and in any event I think it's something you should at least mention. I will be happy to help you out.

The lunch will be off-the-record so that everyone can be comfortable with the proviso that if they wish to use anything after the lunch is finished we will discuss the possibilities of doing so and in what context.

2. Shakespeare Dinner: Attached is the guest list with some background information on those expected to attend at the Union League Club tomorrow night. It is a fairly small dinner for a variety of reasons. Many people are out of town starting vacations, and some who would have come, like Barbara Walters, are in Europe with the President. However, it's still a high-powered guest list and the price is right. The ground rules for the dinner are the same as the lunch.

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Herbert E. Hetu

Attachment: a/s

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Robert Gates

The Director
Central Intelligence Agency



Washington, D.C. 20505

June 17, 1980

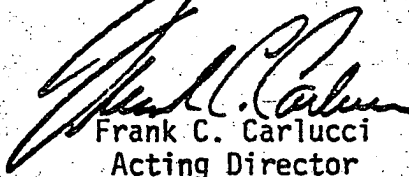
Mr. Thomas H. Wyman
President
CBS, Inc.
51 West 52 Street
New York, New York 10019

Dear Mr. Wyman:

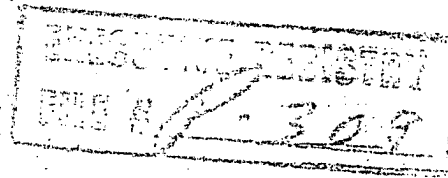
Objective reporting obviously went out the window with "Return of the CIA" on CBS Reports last Saturday evening. By selectively combining 25 year-old facts and footage with current interviews and innuendo you work overly hard to convince the audience that covert action is virtually our only activity.

Correspondent Bradley says the return of covert action and the return of the CIA are synonymous. This is a distortion which underestimates the intelligence of your audience and does a disservice to our many dedicated people who work in the collection and analysis area.

Sincerely,


Frank C. Carlucci
Acting Director

cc: Television Critics: Washington Post
New York Times
Christian Science Monitor
Los Angeles Times



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Attendees at CBS Luncheon with DCI, 25 June 1980, New York City

Roger Colloff, Assistant Vice President, CBS News

Elliott Bernstein, Executive Producer, Morning News

Bob Chandler, Vice President and Director, Public Affairs Broadcasts

John Lane, Vice President and Deputy Director, News

Ernest Leiser, Vice President, Special Events

Emerson Stone, Vice President and Director, Radio News

Robert Northshield, Executive Producer, Sunday Morning

Bob Lanoreaux, Producer, Sunday Morning

Bob Schiefer, Correspondent-CBS Morning News Anchorman

Don Richardson, Executive Assistant to Vice President

Joan Richmond (tentative), Executive Producer, Weekend News

Ed Bradley, Correspondent

Dan Rather, Correspondent

Per Marie Hackett (Assistant to Don Richardson), (212) 975-2328

SHAKESPEARE DINNER

Attending:

- Mike O'Neill, Editor, New York Daily News
- Norman Podhoretz, Editor, Commentary
- Peter Kann, Vice President/Associate Publisher, Wall Street Journal
- Seymour Topping, Managing Editor, New York Times
- Ken Auchincloss, Managing Editor, Newsweek
- (T) Ray Cave, Managing Editor, Time
- (T) Frank Reynolds, Network Correspondent, ABC